

Our Lady of the Holy Souls Catholic Church

1003 North Tyler Street - Little Rock, Arkansas 72205

"Encounter Jesus, Serve Others."



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THE MOST HOLY TRINITY - June 4, 2023

PHOTOGRAPHY FOR OUR NEW PICTORIAL DIRECTORY BEGINS THIS WEEK!



It won't be
OUR
directory
without
YOU!

Have you made your appointment yet?

If not, schedule your appointment now

ONLINE (see below)

or contact **Pete & Cindy Stabnick**

PHOTOGRAPHY DATES

June 6-10 and July 11-16

TIMES:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 2:00 . to 8:20 p.m.

Saturdays: 10:30 a.m. - 3:40 p.m.

LOCATION:

Benedict House, Tyler & "H" Streets

Every family
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receives
a FREE 8x10
family portrait
& a directory!



*To schedule your photography appointment online, simply go to www.ucdir.com, click on photography appointment scheduling login on the right side, enter **ar118** in the Church Code field and enter **photos** in the Church Password field. Follow the prompts to schedule your family's appointment time. If you have 6 or more in your family please use 2 consecutive time slots.

If you need help scheduling your appointment or need to reschedule your appointment,
contact Pete & Cindy Stabnick at 501-663-8632 or office@holysouls.org.

CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULT GROUP

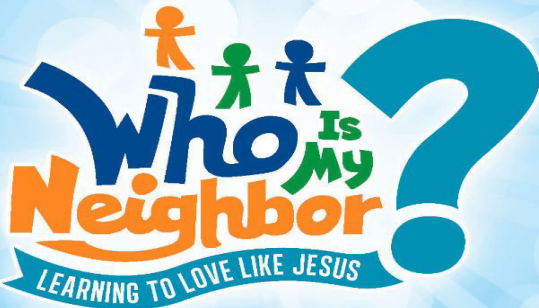
SIPS ~AND~ SCRIPTS

FOOD, DRINK,
FELLOWSHIP,
AND THE WORD!

1ST SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH
PARISH HALL FOLLOWING 5:30PM MASS



OUR LADY OF THE HOLY SOULS



Neighbors are more than people who live next door. Neighbors are more than people in our families or communities. Through five carefully chosen Bible stories, *Who Is My Neighbor?* leads children on a journey to discover more about God's great love. From looking at how to be a neighbor to diving into what it means to live out our faith, this interactive VBS series will lead children deeply into Bible stories focused on God's care and compassion for neighbors close at hand and around the world.

When: Monday, June 26 - Friday, June 30th

TIME CHANGE THIS YEAR: 9am-Noon

Cost: \$30 per student

Where: Holy Souls Parish Hall

Sign up at: www.holysouls.org

Saint of the Month



Saint Thomas More

FEAST DAY: June 22

PATRON SAINT: Lawyers & Religious Freedom

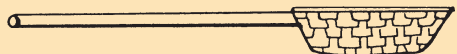
- + **Sir Thomas More** (1478 – 1535) who was knighted in the English tradition is honored in our Catholic Church as **Saint Thomas More**.
- + He was a very accomplished man of the state as well as a faithful man of the Church, and a devoted husband and father.
- + Try this **simple prayer** written by **St. Thomas...**
*"Thank you, dear Jesus,
for all you have given me,
for all you have taken away from me,
for all you have left me."*

Learn, Pray, Be a Saint

Divine Mercy Shrine

The Diocesan Shrine of the Divine Mercy will be dedicated Sunday, June 11, by Bishop Anthony B. Taylor following the 12:30 pm bilingual Mass at the Cathedral of St. Andrew in downtown Little Rock. The participants will then walk from the Cathedral to St. Edward Church (about 1 mile) where the bishop will preside over blessing the new image of the Divine Mercy and lead the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy. He then will sign the decree creating the Diocesan Shrine. Benediction will conclude the event. Light refreshments will be provided. Everyone is invited to attend.

Thereafter the church and the Divine Mercy Shrine will be open to welcome visitors from 8 am - 4 pm Monday through Friday.



COLLECTIONS/STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Mass attendance, May 6 & 7	1,225
Mass attendance, May 13 & 14	894
Mass attendance, May 20 & 21	837

Diocesan Collections –	
Catholic Communication Campaign	\$ 1,338

Weekend Collections –	
May 6 & 7	\$ 52,442
May 13 & 14	\$ 64,281
May 20 & 21	\$ 20,731
Total May Collection	\$ 137,454
Total May Budgeted Collections	\$ 90,000

Actual Collections (7/1/22 - 4/30/2023)	\$ 1,267,898
Budgeted (7/1/22 - 4/30/2023)	\$ 1,228,000
Amount in excess of Budget	\$ 39,898

Children's Collection	\$ 806
Maintenance Fund	\$ 1,856

The attendance and collection figures for May 27 & 28 will be printed in the next bulletin.

Thank you for supporting our church.

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Children's Liturgy of the Word is offered at the 10:30 a.m. Mass on Sundays, led by our clergy, when available. This Liturgy is designed to make the gospel message relevant to the lives and experiences of children aged 5-11. Children who wish to participate will be dismissed with an adult leader before the first reading and return just before the offertory. Adult Helpers are needed on a rotating basis to assist with supervision of the children during the celebration of the Liturgy. If you are interested in assisting, please call the church office 501-663-8632.



The Catholic Diocese of Little Rock is committed to protecting children and young people. If you are aware of abuse or have been abused by Clerics, Church volunteers, or Church workers, please contact the State of Arkansas Hotline for Crimes against Children at 1-800-482-5964 and the Chancellor for Canonical Affairs, Dcn. Matthew A. Glover, (501) 664-0340 ext. 361. For pastoral assistance please contact the Victim Assistance Coordinator for the Diocese of Little Rock: Laura Gosponer, (501) 664-0340, ext. 425. Diocese of Little Rock, 2500 N. Tyler St., Little Rock, AR 72207.

CHANGE FOR LIFE

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

Please consider supporting
ARKANSAS PREGNANCY RESOURCE CENTER,
 A Ministry of St. Joseph's Helpers
 and
BIRTHRIGHT OF LITTLE ROCK
 by taking a Baby Bottle during the campaign!



If you did not return your bottle this weekend, please return it by next Sunday, June 11.

THANK YOU!

Holy Sews MINISTRY



Holy Sews invites you to our next Workday on Sunday, June 11, from 12 Noon to 4:30pm in the Benedict House, Tyler & "H" Streets. We will be making the beautiful layettes for stillborn babies who are too tiny and fragile for regular baby clothes. Even if you don't sew, there are many other things you can do to help this ministry fulfill its commitment to its mission. You can even do your part at home.

Traveling Chalice for Vocations



Has God been asking you to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life? Our Vocations Chalice is a beautiful way to pray for vocations. Every weekend, the chalice will be presented during the closing Mass Announcements and can be returned on Fridays at the 7:00 a.m. Mass or to the Church Office during the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

To be assigned a week or for more information, please contact the Church Office at 501-663-8632 or office@holysouls.org.

To read the daily reading online, go to www.usccb.org/nab/today.shtml

Monday, June 5 7:00 a.m. Mass	ST. BONIFACE - Tb 1:3; 2:1-8; Ps 112:1-6; Mk 12:1-12 Leonard & Grace Nowak by Margo Bushmiaer
Tuesday, June 6 7:00 a.m. Mass	ST. NORBERT - Tb 2:9-14; Ps 112:1-2, 7-9; Mk 12:13-17 Fletcher Hartz by Carolyn & Danny Henry
Wednesday, June 7 5:30 p.m. Mass	Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a; Ps 25:2-9; Mk 12:18-27 Tracy Borghese by Jim & Ruthmary Goodhart
Thursday, June 8 7:00 a.m. Mass	Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a; Ps 128:1-5; Mk 12:28-34 Special Intention for Greg Wilson by Cecile Wilson
Friday, June 9 7:00 a.m. Mass	ST. EPHREM - Tb 11:5-17; Ps 146:1b-2, 6-10; Mk 12:35-37 O. C. Flynn by Yvonne Thompson
Saturday, June 10 4:00 p.m. Vigil Mass	Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20; Tb 13:2, 6efgh, 7, 8; Mk 12:38-44 Wayne A. Wilson by Glen Wilson
Sunday, June 11 8:00 a.m. Mass 10:30 a.m. Mass 5:30 p.m. Mass	THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST - Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; 1 Cor 10:16-17; Jn 6:51-58 Special Intention for Bud & Thelma Voetberg by Janis Voetberg Intention of Parishioners Virginia & Joe Fetzek by The Fetzek Family

Mass Intentions may be offered for the *Repose of the Soul* of a deceased loved one or for healing, a special occasion, or a special intention for yourself, a family member, or friend. Please contact Stacey in the Church Office for more information.



In order to keep our bulletin prayer list up-to-date for the sick, names will remain on the list for four weeks. Then their name will be written in the Book of Intercession where they will be remembered during every Mass. To continue for another four weeks, please call the church office.

OUR PARISHIONERS -- Benjamin Stuart; Glennabell McCumpsey; Doug Pilcher; Kelly Ochoa; Alice Stuff; Tom Johnson; Noel Oman; Lillian Henriquez; Judy Sims; Doug Schneider; Nick Kirchner; Curt Lassiter; Chris Price; Karen Blanzenski; Morgan Payne; Tracey Gibby; Cathy Donovan; Laura Peach; John Flake; Aloise Medlock; and Gary Korte.

OUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY MEMBERS -- Lucille Marconi; Frances Heffington; Phil Marks; Phyllis Marks; Craig Cagle; Eleanor Suttle; Ellen Perkins; Jack Finley; Bill Kennedy; John Oaks; Suzanne Hanratty; Bill Margrave; Millie Cross; Sarah Graham Goin; and Corbin Binz.

OUR SEMINARIANS -- especially our parish's new seminarian Phillip Zawislak.

ALTAR SERVER BANQUET

All Holy Souls Altar Servers
are invited and encouraged to
attend our annual
Altar Server Banquet.

Food and beverages will be
provided. We will also have some
games and prizes presented as
well. We hope you all can join us.

When and where:
June 24th, 2023
Allen Center
Following the 4:00 pm Mass

[rsvp @ abaka @holysouls.org](mailto:rsvp@abaka@holysouls.org)

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER TO SICK NEEDED

Holy Souls Parish takes Communion to the Catholic patients at UAMS every weekday and once on the weekend. We are in the need of more Eucharistic Ministers to the Sick. If you would like to be a part of this wonderful ministry, please contact Laura in the Church Office.

Responding to the Word This Week

Moses learns that God is merciful and gracious.
**Who or what has taught me
most about God's mercy?**
Jesus, be merciful to me for . . .

*To reflect on this Sunday's readings online, go to
www.usccb.org/bible/readings/060423.cfm

Grateful Stewards of God's Gifts . . .

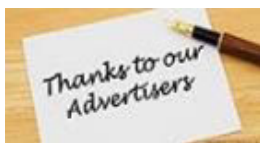
Laura Humphries,
Parish Life & Stewardship Director

While they were eating, Jesus took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and giving it to his disciples said, "Take and eat; this is my body." Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you, for this is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed on behalf of many for the forgiveness of sins. *Matthew 26:26-30*

Yesterday, as I sat in Adoration, I was reading about the Eucharist from Matthew Kelly's book, Blessed Eucharist. We, as Catholics, are taught that the host truly is the body of Christ and that the wine is the blood of Christ. Jesus is truly present on the altar. Amazing, right here in our church we can sit with Jesus, it is such a wonderful opportunity that only a few take advantage of every Wednesday. Of course, we can come any day of the week to make a visit but on Wednesdays we do have exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 9am to 5pm.

We have lots of opportunities at Our Lady of the Holy Souls to be good stewards of our faith. We need help with welcoming new parishioners to our parish. We need hospitality members. When new parishioners join, their names are given to members of this ministry, the member sends an email or makes a phone call to welcome them to the parish. Eucharistic Ministers to the Sick are needed. Ushers, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers at Mass, Altar Servers, EM Captains who set up for Mass, Event volunteers, people for Adoration, and Garden Angels are needed. If you are interested in any of these ministries, please contact the church office. Thank you all for all you do to make Our Lady of the Holy Souls the wonderful parish that it is. We are truly blessed.

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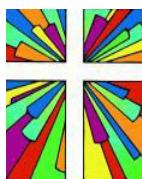
Please be sure to thank the generous advertisers in our bulletin. Through their participation, our parish receives our weekly bulletin free of charge.

Petitions of the Ministry of Praise

June 2023

Pope Francis' Intentions:

We pray that the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their family.



SEARCH #152 RETREAT

Registrations are now being accepted for Search #152, a retreat to help juniors and seniors in high school get to know themselves better, deepen their friendship with Christ, and find support in living out their faith. The summer Search is open to in-coming juniors, seniors, and recently graduated seniors. Search #152 will be held at St. John Center, Little Rock, over the dates of June 23-25, 2023. The fee is \$145.00. For more information and registration forms visit our website at: <https://www.dolr.org/sites/default/files/documents/search-152.pdf>

Catholic Charities Summer Institute - C2SI

Registrations are now being accepted for C2SI, a summer program put together by the Youth Ministry Office and Catholic Charities of Little Rock. This week is open to youth in the 9th - 12th grades interested in learning about the social justice teachings of the Catholic Church. During this 5-day session participants will have the opportunity to learn how to put the social justice lessons learned each morning into action with worthwhile "hands on" experience by working in the community. Join us in Jesus' invitation to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, shelter the homeless, and welcome the stranger among us. Participants receive 40 hours of community service for the week. C2SI is held at St. John's Center, Little Rock, July 10-14, 2023. The fee is \$200. For more information and registration visit our website: <https://www.dolr.org/sites/default/files/c2si-registration-2023.pdf>.

Partial scholarships are available for Search & C2SI by using the following form: <https://www.dolr.org/sites/default/files/documents/diocesanscholarshipapplication.pdf>.

REGISTRATION FOR NEW MEMBERS

Registration for new members is completed in the church office or online by visiting our web page, www.holysouls.org. Please contact the church office or go online at www.holysouls.org if you have moved, changed your telephone number, or email address. When parishioners reach 18 years of age, they should register separately from their family.

RCIA

If you are interested in becoming Catholic, please contact Susej Thompson at 501-663-8632 or office@holysouls.org.

RETURNING CATHOLICS

If you are interested in returning to the Catholic Church, please contact Susej Thompson at 663-8632 or office@holysouls.org.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from 2:30 to 3:30pm and Wednesdays from 4:00 to 5:00pm or call the church office for an appointment.

CHURCH VISITS

The Church is open for private prayer time on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday from 7:30am-3pm and on Wednesday from 7:30am -5:15pm. Please enter through the door on Harrison St. side by piano or the handicapped door in the front of church.

BAPTISM

Baptisms are scheduled on an individual basis. Please call the church office for more information.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Contact the church office a minimum of six months in advance.